

A SPEECH BY MR. GLADSTONE

THE PREMIER AT THE LORD MAYOR'S FEAST. THE MINISTRY'S INTENTION UNCHANGED IN REGARD TO EGYPT.

Mr. Gladstone made a speech last night at the Lord Mayor's banquet in London, responding to the toast: "Her Majesty's Ministers." He spoke of the condition of political Egypt, and said that as soon as the reforms begun were accomplished the British forces would be withdrawn. In speaking of affairs in Ireland he declared that there was a great change for the better, and that the authority of the law had been effectively reasserted there. He paid a compliment to Earl Spencer, the Lord-Lieutenant, and Mr. Trevelyan, the Chief Secretary.

GOVERNMENT WORK REVIEWED.

THE MISSION TO EGYPT—THE TAMATAVE AFFAIR—IMPROVEMENT IN IRISH MATTERS.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—The Lord Mayor's banquet to the Ministers took place at the Mansion House this evening. Mr. Gladstone, on rising to respond to a toast to her Majesty's Ministers, was greeted with prolonged cheering. After expressing his thanks Mr. Gladstone proceeded to give a sketch of recent public events. He said that the Government had gone to Egypt in a useful spirit and desired simply to accelerate reform there. It was felt that too much haste might spoil the work. When the views of the Government in this respect were accomplished the British would disappear from the country. He said that nothing would be more grateful to every one of the Ministers than an early and successful accomplishment of the movement toward reform in Egypt.

In regard to the Tamatave affair Mr. Gladstone said that the Government had received full advice from Madagascar confirming the hope that no difficulty existed which could not be solved by generous and honorable dispositions, which should always exist, especially between France and England. He now felt even sanguinely confident that nothing would arise which would disturb their long accord.

Mr. Gladstone continuing, said he was thankful to be able to record the great change in the condition of affairs in Ireland. The authority of the law had been reasserted there. The dark dens of assassination had been effectually suppressed and the confidence which had united their unhappy frequenters and enabled them to execute their deadly purposes had been in a large degree destroyed. Deep gratitude was due to the Almighty and secondarily to Earl Spencer, the Lord-Lieutenant, and Mr. Trevelyan, the Chief Secretary. He said he believed that the work had been achieved. The Government hoped much in the future from its new system of grand committees.

IRISHMEN CHARGED WITH CRIMES.

ON TRIAL FOR TREASON-FELONY. TESTIMONY AGAINST FIVE DYNAMITE CONSPIRATORS.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 8.—The main charge against O'Herly, Featherstone, Deasy, Flanagan and Dalton is treason-felony, similar to that contained in the indictment found in the Bow Street Police Court some time ago against Dr. Gallagher and his fellow-conspirators. At the trial to-day a policeman testified that he had seen Dalton watching Westminster Abbey, the Houses of Parliament and Lambeth Palace, and that he was taking notes.

Various witnesses testified that Dalton was a passenger on the steamer Celtic in February under the name of Johnson, and that he had been in America for ten years. He was also called O'Connor. When he was arrested in Bowles' reading-room, in London, he had in his possession memoranda concerning the manufacture of explosives. He also had a roll of paper similar to some paper around a number of brass taps found on the prisoner Deasy. Experts testified that the explosive articles which Deasy and Flanagan had in their possession when arrested were similar to those used in the attempt to blow up the office of The London Times. They said the articles in question were not suitable for industrial purposes.

The informer Lammie testified that he was sworn into the Fenian Brotherhood in 1867 by Sylvester Kingston. He had sworn to assume arms at a moment's notice in defense of the Irish Republic and to obey his superiors. He had also sworn never to divulge the secrets of the Brotherhood on pain of death. He had attended drills at which sometimes seventy-eight persons were present. He had attended some drills this year. Counsel for the defense objected to Lammie's evidence, on the ground that it was irrelevant, but the objection was overruled.

The Judge ruled that there was no case against O'Herly on the main charge, and the prisoner was then formally acquitted, but he will be detained for the present, as he may possibly be charged with a minor count. The Judge decided that all the other cases must go to the jury.

POOLE COMMITTED FOR TRIAL.

DUBLIN, Aug. 8.—Poole has been committed for trial to answer the charge of murdering Kenny. Mrs. Kenny was one of the witnesses at the hearing to-day. She was the person referred to by the Crown Solicitor on August 1 as "a witness expected from America." She corroborated the evidence of previous witnesses, who testified that they saw Poole and Kenny together the night the latter was murdered.

THE RAVAGES OF CHOLERA.

DEATHS IN THE MAD-HOUSE AT CAIRO.

CAIRO, Aug. 8.—The native officials here are much alarmed concerning the condition of the patients in the mad-house. It has been discovered despite strenuous denials that there have been in four days thirty-two deaths from cholera there, while the number of inmates was only 270. The English doctors, on becoming aware of the condition of affairs at the institution, endeavored to remedy it, but even yesterday the place was in a filthy condition, and a number of bodies of victims of cholera were lying beside persons who were suffering from the disease.

CASES INCREASING AT ALEXANDRIA.

ALEXANDRIA, Aug. 8.—The number of cases of cholera is increasing here, though it is abating in the interior of the country. Thirteen deaths from cholera occurred yesterday.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—On Tuesday 652 persons died from cholera, including 70 at Cairo and 120 in the Province of Saint. Only four deaths were reported in the Province of Sicily in the last return.

MISCELLANEOUS FOREIGN NEWS.

LAWLESSNESS IN RUSSIA.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 8.—A small tin box, containing explosive material, was on Tuesday thrown in the Voronovsky Prospect from a carriage which was being driven along the thoroughfare. No arrests have yet been made of persons supposed to have been connected with the deed.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—Advices from Ekaterinburg, Russia, where demonstrations against the Jews were made on August 2, state that three regiments of Cossacks had arrived for the preservation of order. Eighteen of the 100 persons arrested for participation in the demonstrations have already been placed on trial before a military tribunal. Many innocent persons, who were wounded during the rioting, have since died. No Jews were injured, as they escaped, having had timely warning of the attack to be made upon them.

THE SUEZ CANAL PROJECT.

PARIS, Aug. 8.—A meeting of the Board of Directors of the Suez Canal Company, at which the British and others were present, was held to-day. The Board unanimously approved the letter of M. de Lesseps of July 23 to Mr. Gladstone in which M. de Lesseps informed the English Prime Minister

that he need not consider himself bound by the terms of the agreement in regard to the second Suez Canal which he had signed.

THE TRIAL OF CANON BERNARD.

WHY HE TOOK PAPERS AND SECURITIES AND CONCEALED THEM.

TOURNAI, Belgium, Aug. 8.—In the trial of Canon Bernard, who is charged with abstracting papers and securities representing several millions of francs from the episcopal palace of the diocese of Tournai, counsel for the defendant declared that his client had a document from the Pope which empowered him to take the measures he deemed best to conceal the treasure. He could not have supposed that such an order meant that he was only to conceal it in Tournai. Canon Bernard, he said, had been made a scapegoat for Bishop Rousseau, who had written to him while he was in New-York virtually ordering him to continue to conceal the funds. Bishop Rousseau believed that he could avoid meeting the claims in court of Monsignor Dumont, the former bishop of the diocese, by sending the funds beyond the reach of the judicial power. If he had been successful he would have indemnified Canon Bernard, who had merely attempted an evasion of the civil law and had not committed a criminal offense. The case has caused a painful feeling in religious circles.

A SEQUEL OF THE JEWISH TRIAL.

PESTH, Aug. 8.—The riotous demonstrations against the family of Joseph Senarf, who was one of the defendants in the Jewish trial at Nyiregyhaza were renewed here to-day. The house in which the family had been staying was wrecked and a number of Jewish shops in the vicinity were plundered. The police were powerless, and the military had to be summoned. Fighting in the streets continued at a late hour to-night.

REFUSING TO RECOGNIZE PHUDAC.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—Advices from Saigon state that the Mandarins at Hue, the capital of Annam, have refused to recognize Phudac, who was nominated as the successor to the throne by King Tainu, who died on July 20, and have proclaimed Vianlan King of Annam.

A REPORT THAT CETEWAYO IS ALIVE.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—The British agent at Pieter Maritzburg believes that a report that King Cetewayo is still alive was put in circulation for the purpose of continuing the agitation in Zululand. A. Evelyn M. Ashley, Under-Secretary for the Colonies, announced in the House of Commons this afternoon that the Government was making efforts to learn if the report was true or false.

THE MARTIN LUTHER CELEBRATION.

BERLIN, Aug. 8.—Thousands of persons arrived at Erfurt to-day to participate in the celebration of Martin Luther's entry into that town. The festival was a great success. An historical procession traversed the streets this afternoon and excited much admiration, especially a group in which Luther was represented surrounded by armed knights. Bodies of singers greeted the procession at different points along the route.

THE IMPERIAL INTERVIEW.

ISCHL, Aug. 8.—The Emperors of Germany and Austria arrived here at noon. The former was met by the latter at Ebensee, where cordial greetings were exchanged between the two. The Emperors drove in the country the afternoon and went to the theatre together this evening.

AUSTRALIA AND NEW-ZEALAND.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 8.—The steamer Australia, which arrived yesterday from Australia and New-Zealand by the way of Honolulu, brings the following news:

Quarantine is being enforced at Melbourne against vessels from the Fiji Islands, where cholera, smallpox and measles are prevailing. The Australian Government remain firm in their annexation policy. New-Zealand wants to annex the Navigator Islands, where the American Government has a coaling station, and with which a treaty has been failed. The Maori King in New-Zealand has ordered a cessation of the export of goods through the native territory. This action is deemed serious.

AFFAIRS IN CUBA.

HAVANA, Aug. 8.—The *Gaceta* of August 2 says that captains of vessels are providing themselves with bills of health from their respective consulates, and that one being contrary to the regulations of the Treasury, the Secretary of the Government again called attention to the circular which ordered that all bills of health be issued exclusively by the Board of Health here, and halting the intervention of the consuls to certifying bills of health.

Two Civil Guards were murdered on July 30, near San Felipe, in the jurisdiction of Bahianho.

TOPICS IN THE DOMINION.

SHERBROOKE, Que., Aug. 8.—George H. Borsie, an advocate, committed suicide by drowning on Monday night. He previously left his watch, money and will in his office.

TORONTO, Ont., Aug. 8.—Two young men, sons of Senators George W. Allen and Donald McLean, left Harris in a boat on Saturday for a camping ground, four miles distant, on the Kennerly Bay. They have not since been heard from, and are supposed to have been drowned.

CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA.

PANAMA, Aug. 8, via Galveston.—The Federal Government has issued a decree prohibiting the transportation of arms and ammunition across the isthmus for Ecuador, or the sale of munitions to any beligerent of that Republic.

An inquiry into the cause of the refusal of Colombian notes as Colon has disclosed the fact that a fraudulent issue is in circulation.

Yesterday 680 signatures were obtained here in favor of O'Connell's candidacy for re-election.

LIMA, Aug. 8, via Galveston.—A telegram from Valparaiso announced the postponement of General Lynch's visit to Chile. This is confirmed by subsequent dispatches from Santiago.

FOREIGN NOTES.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—Truth says that Madame Adelaide Ristori, the tragedienne, has announced her intention of making a farewell tour of America.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—A dispatch from Dover says that two Norwegian barkers came in collision off there to-day. One was so badly injured that she sank, carrying down with her a crew of 12.

PARIS, Aug. 8.—It is reported that M. Charles Brun, Minister of Marine, has tendered his resignation in consequence of ill health.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—The returns issued by the Board of Trade show that during July British imports decreased, compared with that month of last year, by \$340,000. The exports also decreased during the same period \$337,000.

STRASBURG, Aug. 8.—Baron von Manteuffel, Governor-General of Alsace-Lorraine, has forbidden the publication of a newspaper at Metz by Deputy Antoine, a member of the Protestant party.

THE CHEROKEE NATION ELECTION.

DENNIS W. BUSHYHEAD PROBABLY ELECTED CHIEF—THE LEGISLATURE.

CHICAGO, Aug. 8.—A dispatch from the Indian Territory says that an election in the Cherokee Nation yesterday a principal chief, an assistant chief, judicial officers and members of the General Council were chosen.

The nation is divided into what is known as "National" and "Union" parties. The former presented Dennis W. Bushyhead, the present incumbent, for chief, and the Unionists supported the Hon. Charles Thompson. The returns thus far received indicate the election of Bushyhead for a four years' term. Three districts are yet to be heard from, and may change the result indicated. The canvass was fierce and exciting and the vote polled unusually large. A runner brings news that the Illinois district was carried by the Union nominees. The Illinois district is reported to have given a heavy majority for Thompson. The value, Illinois and Kansas districts are claimed for the National candidates. The Thompsons of Union party appear to have secured a majority in both branches of the Council, or Legislature.

APATHY IN PENNSYLVANIA POLITICS.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—Representative Bayne, of Pennsylvania, arrived in Washington to-day. He says that the iron and other manufacturing interests in Western Pennsylvania show no signs of suffering on account of the changes in the tariff, but that business is

lively in all its departments. Colonel Bayne says that people in his part of the State are paying little attention to politics, and he predicts a very light vote at the coming election. There is general apathy in both political parties, and it is thought that the result will be to arouse sufficient enthusiasm to get out a fair proportion of its voters will win the day. Colonel Bayne has a high opinion of Chairman Hanna's abilities as a campaign manager, and says that despite the apparent hostility in the Republican ranks their candidates will by no means have a "walk-over."

NEW-YORK POLITICS.

VIEWS OF JOHN F. SMYTH, GEORGE M. SHARPE AND HENRY G. BURLEIGH.

[FROM AN OCCASIONAL CORRESPONDENT OF THE TRIBUNE.] ALBANY, Aug. 8.—John F. Smyth, the chairman of the Republican State Committee, was questioned to-day as to the general prospects of the Republican party during the coming campaign. He said in reply to one question:

"As to my own views about the matter I need say nothing except that I believe the Republican party is a unit again. But as chairman of the State Committee I receive a large number of letters from all over the State, from men who are conversant with politics, and without an exception these indicate a renewal of the old spirit of harmony. It does not seem under the present aspect of affairs that anything can disturb the good feeling."

"Where and when will the convention meet?" "That I cannot say. Although chairman of the committee I am only one member, and I have no individual preference for any time or place. I have had no consultation with any other members upon the subject."

"Have you any views of the probable names that will be placed upon the ticket?"

Mr. Smyth laughed: "I have none that would be worth mentioning. I have no slate and do not propose to add in making any. Whoever is nominated will, I believe, get the united vote of the party, and good men are pretty sure to receive the nomination."

Ex-Speaker George H. Sharpe in conversation upon the same subject said that there was no doubt of a full general old harmonious relations in the party. "I am a thorough Statwart," said he. "I presume nobody doubts that. There has been a portion of the party which did not support the ticket last year, and I believe that the other portion which did support the ticket ought to ask pardon and say they are sorry. But that is all over now. The disaster of last year wiped out all animosities and made us all of one mind."

"Have you any personal preference in view?" "Oh, no," he replied, "none at all. The present State officers will probably be re-nominated, and I do not care to stir up the question of the Senate or Assembly. I will stick to my business."

Congressman-elect Henry G. Burleigh, of Washington County, said that all dissatisfaction in the party had been swept away in his district, and so he would not care to stir up the question of the Senate or Assembly. "I will stick to my business."

THE OHIO CAMPAIGN.

JUDGE HOADLY SAID TO BE TILDEN'S CANDIDATE FOR THE PRESIDENCY.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—The Postmaster-General, who has just returned from the West, expresses the opinion that the Republicans will carry Ohio. Prominent Democrats, who have recently visited Washington, are equally confident that Judge Hoody will be elected and there are mysterious whispers that "outside influences" will be exerted, if necessary, to bring about that result. Inquiries on this subject lead to the conclusion that Judge Hoody is in training as a candidate for the Presidential nomination, a necessary qualification for which is his election as Governor. A prominent Maryland Democrat said a day or two ago that if Hoody could be elected Governor of Ohio the Democrats would have "plain sailing for 1884," but if Hoody would be defeated he did not know what they would do for a candidate. His information was that Mr. Tilden had not thought of being a candidate for the nomination, but is extremely anxious that Hoody should be the choice of the Democratic Convention; that in private conversations with leading Democratic politicians, the latter have warmly espoused Judge Hoody's cause and argued that he would be the strongest candidate the Democrats could put in the field. Judge Hoody was elected to the Ohio Council of Education, and is now in the State, and it is believed that the Democratic candidate for Governor of Ohio is Mr. Tilden's candidate for the Presidency, and that the latter is in the present campaign are to come from New York.

THE NEW-JERSEY NATIONAL PARTY.

A STATE CONVENTION AT ASBURY PARK—PERMANENT OFFICERS CHOSEN.

OCEAN GROVE, N. J., Aug. 8.—The State Convention of the National Party, assembled at Educational Hall, Asbury Park, to-day. B. W. Terlinde, secretary of the State Committee, called the convention to order. At the afternoon session 140 delegates reported, representing every county except Middlesex. W. L. Hope, of Monmouth County, was made permanent chairman. Professor A. C. Coffey, of East Hillsdale College, Danville, Ill., addressed the convention, and in his address, giving particulars of his new secret report, known as the New Era.

A vice-president was chosen from each Congressional district. The State Committee, C. P. Atkinson, Second, A. K. Kowans, Third, P. Terlinde, Fourth, A. W. Davis, Fifth, W. E. Mallard, Sixth, A. J. Whitely, Seventh, B. W. Terlinde, Eighth, W. E. Mallard, Ninth, W. E. Mallard, Tenth, W. E. Mallard, Eleventh, W. E. Mallard, Twelfth, W. E. Mallard, Thirteenth, W. E. Mallard, Fourteenth, W. E. Mallard, Fifteenth, W. E. Mallard, Sixteenth, W. E. Mallard, Seventeenth, W. E. Mallard, Eighteenth, W. E. Mallard, Nineteenth, W. E. Mallard, Twentieth, W. E. Mallard, Twenty-first, W. E. Mallard, Twenty-second, W. E. Mallard, Twenty-third, W. E. Mallard, Twenty-fourth, W. E. Mallard, Twenty-fifth, W. E. Mallard, Twenty-sixth, W. E. Mallard, Twenty-seventh, W. E. Mallard, Twenty-eighth, W. E. Mallard, Twenty-ninth, W. E. Mallard, Thirtieth, W. E. Mallard, Thirty-first, W. E. Mallard, Thirty-second, W. E. Mallard, Thirty-third, W. E. Mallard, Thirty-fourth, W. E. Mallard, Thirty-fifth, W. E. Mallard, Thirty-sixth, W. E. Mallard, Thirty-seventh, W. E. Mallard, Thirty-eighth, W. E. Mallard, Thirty-ninth, W. E. Mallard, Fortieth, W. E. Mallard, Forty-first, W. E. Mallard, Forty-second, W. E. Mallard, Forty-third, W. E. Mallard, Forty-fourth, W. E. Mallard, Forty-fifth, W. E. Mallard, Forty-sixth, W. E. Mallard, Forty-seventh, W. E. Mallard, Forty-eighth, W. E. Mallard, Forty-ninth, W. E. Mallard, Fiftieth, W. E. Mallard, Fifty-first, W. E. Mallard, Fifty-second, W. E. Mallard, Fifty-third, W. E. Mallard, Fifty-fourth, W. E. Mallard, Fifty-fifth, W. E. Mallard, Fifty-sixth, W. E. Mallard, Fifty-seventh, W. E. Mallard, Fifty-eighth, W. E. Mallard, Fifty-ninth, W. E. Mallard, Sixtieth, W. E. Mallard, Sixty-first, W. E. Mallard, Sixty-second, W. E. Mallard, Sixty-third, W. E. Mallard, Sixty-fourth, W. E. Mallard, Sixty-fifth, W. E. Mallard, Sixty-sixth, W. E. Mallard, Sixty-seventh, W. E. Mallard, Sixty-eighth, W. E. Mallard, Sixty-ninth, W. E. Mallard, Seventieth, W. E. Mallard, Seventy-first, W. E. Mallard, Seventy-second, W. E. Mallard, Seventy-third, W. E. Mallard, Seventy-fourth, W. E. Mallard, Seventy-fifth, W. E. Mallard, Seventy-sixth, W. E. Mallard, Seventy-seventh, W. E. Mallard, Seventy-eighth, W. E. Mallard, Seventy-ninth, W. E. Mallard, Eightieth, W. E. Mallard, Eighty-first, W. E. Mallard, Eighty-second, W. E. Mallard, Eighty-third, W. E. Mallard, Eighty-fourth, W. E. Mallard, Eighty-fifth, W. E. Mallard, Eighty-sixth, W. E. Mallard, Eighty-seventh, W. E. Mallard, Eighty-eighth, W. E. Mallard, Eighty-ninth, W. E. Mallard, Ninetieth, W. E. Mallard, Ninety-first, W. E. Mallard, Ninety-second, W. E. Mallard, Ninety-third, W. E. Mallard, Ninety-fourth, W. E. Mallard, Ninety-fifth, W. E. Mallard, Ninety-sixth, W. E. Mallard, Ninety-seventh, W. E. Mallard, Ninety-eighth, W. E. Mallard, Ninety-ninth, W. E. Mallard, One hundred, W. E. Mallard.

THE ASBURY PARK ELECTION.

TRUMPION OF THE SMOKING INTEREST.

ASBURY PARK, N. J., Aug. 8.—The borough election held here yesterday resulted in part in the election of a Board of Commissioners favoring a liberal policy in local government. A sign prohibiting smoking on the board-walk along the beach was recently erected. W. H. Deltz, representing the hotel and "pull down the signs" interest, was elected by four majority over the Rev. A. J. Kynett, secretary of the Church Extension Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church, who represented the conservative interest, and had already served on term. J. A. Bradley and N. E. Bradley were re-elected. There was no opposition to Mr. Bradley's re-election as Asbury Park.

CRIMES AND CASUALTIES—BY TELEGRAPH.

A RUGBY AUNT IN IOWA.

CHICAGO, Aug. 8.—A dispatch to The Journal, from Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, says the wife of a farmer, a Mrs. McGowan, was killed by a runaway horse. The horse was driven by a man named McGowan, and the horse was killed by a runaway horse. The horse was driven by a man named McGowan, and the horse was killed by a runaway horse.

ROBBED AND DROWNED.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Aug. 8.—William H. Freeman, colored, age forty-nine, a saloon keeper, was drowned in the canal here last night. He was robbed of \$20 by a woman before he was drowned.

A HOOKER ASHORE.

GLoucester, N. B., Aug. 8.—A schooner Royal Oak was this afternoon reported ashore at Grand Entry, N. B. The schooner was a saloon keeper, and was driven by a man named McGowan, and the horse was killed by a runaway horse.

COMMITTED FOR COUNTREPRISING.

HONOLULU, Aug. 8.—A man named McGowan was recently extradited from Montreal and charged with passing counterfeit money in motion, was committed to-day in default of \$2,000.

DEATH FROM A BLOW WITH A HAMMER.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 8.—George Christopher, male, of Philadelphia, was killed by a blow with a hammer on the head by a man named McGowan, and the horse was killed by a runaway horse.

A REJECTED LOVER ATTEMPTS SUICIDE.

READING, Penn., Aug. 8.—In Hanbury last night, while near Miller, age thirteen, was promiscuously with Kate Miller, age thirteen, who was killed by a runaway horse.

THE NEW-YORK CRUISE.

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 8.—The New-Haven Yacht Squadron arrived here this evening from New-London. It will leave here for New-Haven to-morrow and will start from the latter port on Friday for Martha's Vineyard.

A CRASH ON THE ELEVATED.

BUNGLING WORK IN SWITCHING.

TWO MEN INJURED—A TEDIIOUS BLOCKADE OF TRAVEL.

A collision occurred last night between two trains on the Sixth Avenue Elevated Railway which resulted, fortunately, in the loss of no lives. After 8 o'clock in the evening each of the down trains, which during the commutation hours are composed of four cars each leave one car after passing the Rector Street station to be switched off on the middle track. When several cars have been collected an engine pushes them up the middle track to make room for other cars that are laid up for the night. This middle track extends beyond the Courtlandt Street station to Day-st. There are switches connecting with the up-town and down-town main tracks at Day-st.

At 10:30 o'clock last night a train of relay cars was being backed up the middle track by an engine. Instead of stopping below the branching switches, through a fault that could not be placed last night, the cars were pushed onto the switch that led to the down-town track and one of them ran over upon the down track. At about the same time a south-bound train was due at the Courtlandt Street Station, and the engine struck the rear car of the relay train, wrecking it badly. Both trains were moving slowly or the destruction would have been greater. The engine of the down train was running with its caboose forward, and its caboose was crushed like an egg-shell. The car next to the engine was also badly shattered.

Immediately after the collision a dozen police officers from the New Church Street Station went to the place of the wreck. The men of Track No. 10 and Engine No. 29 in Fulton-st. were summoned with ladders, as the first reports spread made the accident a case of slaughter. Owing to the lateness of the hour there were comparatively few passengers in the down-going train and only one of them was hurt. His name is Valentine Ritzheimer and he lives at No. 198 Twenty-first-st., South Brooklyn. His leg was injured by flying splinters, but he was able to be taken home from the police station after his wounds had been dressed there. The only other person injured was Theodore King, the engineer of the south-bound train. He lives in Paterson-ave., Jersey City. He received a severe scalp wound, but after it was dressed he went home. Captain Bergold said that he thought the wound was more serious than the man had imagined. The damage to the engine and cars will amount to a considerable sum of money. The Journal-box of the engine, weighing between 75 and 100 pounds, fell to the street below, narrowly missing a pedestrian's head, when the collision occurred.

Some of the laboring officers of the company showed great reluctance to talk about the accident, although, from their positions, they were bound to know the main particulars. They said briefly that some cars were being laid up for the night on the middle track when the south-bound train ran into them as they were being switched from the main track. It was said by others that the empty cars were being backed up the middle track, and by some mischance, the rear cars were thrown, on to the west track in front of a down-town train which was just approaching the Courtlandt-st. station. The employees who spoke about the accident agreed generally that the engineer of the down train could not have been looking for the cars on the middle track, which had begun to slop.

One of the wrecked cars was standing at Rector-st. last night. One end and a third at least of one side were torn out. Passengers on the train when travel was resumed looked at the car with mingled curiosity and fear. The train ran slowly over the wreckage, and the rear cars were backed up the middle track. Although the tracks were cleared about midnight it was a long time before the trains resumed their regular time. Travel was delayed for nearly two hours and both tracks were blocked for a long distance above and below the scene of the accident. Persons who wished to ride on the road were refused tickets until about midnight.

A REMARKABLE WEDDING IN BUFFALO.

MARRIAGE OF MRS. W. G. FARGO TO EX-COUNTY CLERK FARGO.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 8.—A social event of extraordinary interest was witnessed here this evening. It was the marriage of Mrs. W. G. Fargo, the wealthy widow of the founder of the American Express Company, to ex-County Clerk Frank F. Fargo, who although of the same name was not a relative of Mrs. Fargo. The ceremony took place at the Fargo mansion and was witnessed by a select company.

The bride and groom were both of the same name. Mrs. F. G. Fargo's friends have tried every means in their power to prevent the marriage taking place. About six weeks ago the woman's family published a denial of the existence of the engagement. It is now believed that this was done for the purpose of quieting opposition. The gentleman's continued attentions, however, disproved the published statement. Next it was reported that the wedding would take place in September, and the occurrence this evening was in every way a surprise. The bride and groom are both thirty years old. The bride's family are very aristocratic in their tendencies, while of late years Frank Fargo has been a newspaper writer of small means and not brilliant social standing.

A MYSTERIOUS VESSEL SEIZED.

LOADED WITH WAR MATERIAL—ARREST OF THE CAPTAIN.

RICHMOND, Va., Aug. 8.—Captain J. H. Dodd, of the schooner K. G. Irwin, which arrived here on Saturday last from New York, was arrested to-day on a warrant issued by the United States Commissioner of Customs on a charge of attempted violation of the Neutrality laws. The vessel was also seized and put in charge of Deputy United States Marshal Grounds.

The charges are that the vessel had on board suspicious war material, which was not to be unloaded here. It consisted of 150 staves of Winchester and repeating rifles and carbines, pistols, cartridges, boxes of ammunition in large quantities and two cannon, with shells, whips, axes, etc., all new. The information which led to the seizure of the vessel was given by one of the crew, who states that the Irwin was off Hatteras Island on her voyage on Saturday and signaled for two days for some other vessel, which called it once. The captain then brought the schooner to Richmond. The case will be investigated by the United States Commissioner to-morrow, to which time Captain Dodd was bailed.

THE NEW-HAVEN YACHT CLUB.

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 8.—The New-Haven Yacht Squadron arrived here this evening from New-London. It will leave here for New-Haven to-morrow and will start from the latter port on Friday for Martha's Vineyard.

THE NEW-YORK YACHT SQUADRON.

COTTAGE CITY, N. J., Aug. 8.—The New-York Yacht Squadron got under way early this morning, and moved slowly out of the harbor under a very light breeze. At this hour, 11 a. m., the whole fleet of racing yachts was seen below Cape Pocon, and unless the wind freshens considerably it will not reach Marblehead to-night. In any event, it will be a hard road.

THE TANNERIES OF E. SHAW & BROTHERS.

BANGOR, Me., Aug. 8.—It is understood that arrangements have been made whereby Fayette Shaw & Brothers' tanneries will continue in operation, notwithstanding the attachment of the bank.

A GUIDE DROWNED IN THE ADIRONDACKS.

TROY, N. Y., Aug. 8.—Joseph L. Newell, a well-known Adirondack Mountain guide, was drowned yesterday near Paul Smith's, in the Adirondacks, by the upsetting of a boat. It is supposed he was attacked with

DELAYS FROM CUT WIRES.

INTERFERENCE WITH TELEGRAPH BUSINESS.

THE STRIKERS STILL CONFIDENT—CONFLICTING STATEMENTS ABOUT THE RAILROAD EMPLOYEES.

The campaign against the Western Union Telegraph Company, in the way of cutting wires, was more successful on Tuesday night and yesterday morning than on the night